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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)		FEE CALCULATION (continued)				
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Large Entity 1 Small Entity						
Deposit Account:				Fee	Fee Description	<b>.</b>
Deposit Account 07-1857	Code (	1	Code		ſ	Fee Paid
Number			2051		Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
Deposit Account Stephen A. Gratton	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
Name		130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)  Charge fee(s) indicated below  Credit any overpayments		520	1812 2	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)		920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee		840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after	
to the above-identified deposit account.					Examiner action	110
FEE CALCULATION		110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	110
1. BASIC FILING FEE		420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Small Entity		950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
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1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee	1255 2,0	010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451 1,	510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
		330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501 1,	330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Total Claims 13 -20** = 0 x 18 = 0	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
Independent Claims 4 - 3** = 1 × 86 = 86	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Multiple Dependent	1807	50	1807	7 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity   Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1806	180	1806		Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection	
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3					(37 ČFR 1.129(a))	<b> </b>
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	770
1205 18 2205 9 "Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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